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P. Senberth, the Merchant Tailor. New Goods in all lines at

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School shoes. JOHNSON & JOHNSON. unsurpassed. Fine assortment of Ladies wraps at

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Broadhead worsteds dress goods at from 30 to 65 cents per yard.

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Come now while you can get your choice in all lines of staple and fancy dry goods at DENNY BBOS. & ANDREWS.

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A limited amount of corn, threshed oats and wood on debts due the FREE PRESS of

Large line of Henrietta dress goods in all shades of gobelin and olive greens, flannels and so on. Do not forget us. DAILEY & BRO.

A look into our shoe department will in terest you. In styles and prices we defy JOHNSON & JOHNSON.

New floods! New Goods? Are now arriving, of late purchase in New Il and see semething new and sty!- terest. Everybody is invited. The railroads JOHNSON & JOHNSON. ish.

Winter is coming and for your blankets and comforts go to DENNY BROS. & ANDREWS.

Rubber and leather belting, lace leathers babbitt metal, machine oil and other suppiles for ginners on hand.

Christian & Wills are in regular receipt of fresh and choice groceries, which they are selling at the lowest prices for cash. Give them a call.

> Landreth's Turnip Seed, Fresh and Genuine. Just Received

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The partnership heretofore existing be-tween us has been dissolved by mutual consent. C. T. Bass will continue the business.

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cure better goods and have them well made, and a good fit, by calling on Scuberth, the tailor? Shop near the northeast corner of the public square.

Cheap clothing for men, youths, boys, and children at DENNY BROS. & ANDREWS.

Shoes, Shoes. Our stock is now complete, and comprises a larger assortment than we have ever of fered before. All sizes, styles and prices, from the heaviest brogan to the finest hand JGENSON & JOHNSON, turned kid.

For Sale.

The John Scott farm, seven miles south-west of San Marcos. Well improved, one of the best farms and pastures in Hays Co. Also several very desirable pieces of town property, Apply to STERLING FIRMER.

Bear it in mind, that Hardy & Co. will sell as Marcos to be present on the occasion. A cheap as any other house in town, FOR CASH, Constantly on hand a full line of fancy and family gro-

FIRE. MRS RICHARDSON.

unlaundried. Fine flannel shirts for dress. from \$2 to \$6.40 per pair. Reinfaued back and front, unlaundried shirts, 3 for \$1.50,

Visitors from Abroad and

RED DIAMOND

Others Call at the

The buyers will still ship to Austin, but only when teamsters prafer to go there at the same price as to San Marcos—\$1.50 per East side of Square, Will close out her stock of Millinery, dress trimmings, etc., etc.,

Prepared by a combination, proportion and process peculiar to itself, Hood's Sar-saparilla accomplishes cures hitherto un-BELOW COST. GENTA' STYLISH neckwear in scarfs, ties

the supper.

than to San Marcos.

sumple for five cepts.

and new Winslow scarfs. Pleated bosom shirts, open front and back, laundried and W. F. Coppic has one of of the nicest, most complete assortments of choice groceries in town, while as to prices he will not be undersold. Give him a trial, Goods

delivered promptly in any part of the city. pictures to please haby's eye, and little jin-pictures to please haby's eye, and little jin-gles and stories to please his ear. It is a ness, accuracy, and workmanlike taste and tives for said district for the 21st legislature Ice Cream Parlor, gles and stores to pro-marvel of enjoyment for fifty centy a year. D. Lothrop Campany, Boston, will send a marvel of enjoyment for afty centy a year, skill. Prices reasonable. Have your work of Texas

LOCAL BRIEFS. Don Quixote Outdone.

We want correspondents at Martindale

and Wimberly. D'ye hear?

new store, and give him a call.

bly be taken up until next week.

street which was roughly graded years ago,

We are pleased to learn that Coronal In-

of 115, a considerable advance on last year,

and there has been a goodly increase since.

There are 32 music pugils, to not much

Judge Teichmueller and Prosecutor Beth-

any are understood to be of that happy

class of candidates who feel their calling

and election sure, having no opposition.

But really, gentlemen, we think a decent

respect to the people, and especially the

newspapers, should induce you to "an-

the rain ceased, and prices have ruled good.

Notwithstanding the bad roads on Saturday,

bales. Some 75 bales have been averaged

We are under obligations to E. S. Hughes,

secretary, for a copy of the Premium List

of the Abilene District Fair to be held at

Abilene on the 3rd, 4th and 5th days of Oc-

promise excursion rates. Governor Ross

will deliver the opening address on Wednes-

Club Meeting.

Gen. Shelley of Austin will address the

Cleveland and Thurman Club on Friday

To Advertisers.

After all is said you cannot, as thinking

peasons, doubt that the old established SAN

Mancos Fare Parss is the best medium for

you in this county. The paper and its pa-

trons are alike of the solid, reliable class,

whose patronage is of most value to adver-

Cotton Yards

KYLE, TEXAS. September 3, 1888.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:-The Alliance Cot-

ton Yard at Kyle was opened for business

this season on Monday last. The yard in

San Marcos will be opened at the end of the

present week. The county secretary, W.

Garnett, has been elected manager, and he

will retain a competent assistant at the San

Marcos yard when not at that point. The

board of directors will carry sufficient in-

surance to cover all risks, and every effort is

being made to make the enterprise a com-

The office is at the Exchange Store, Kyle,

The yards will handle the cotton of non-

members and colored people on the same

Ice Cream Supper.

at Maxwell (formerly New Martindale) sta-

tion on the T. B. & H., on Thursday even-

ing the 13th inst. to raise means for ceiling

and seating the new school house near Mr.

J. A. Montgomery's. The supper will be

given in the railroad depot, and a cordial

invitation is extended to the people of San

special train is expected to leave San Mar-

The Blanco cotton buyers have agreed to

ship via San Marcos this season, as the rail-

road freight from there is just the same as

There will be an ice cream supper given

W. Garnett, Business Manager.

terms as that of members of the Alliance.

plete success.

night. The ladies are specialy invited.

day, October 3rd.

over half the number last year.

sufficient," etc.

eyen with those we owe.

and comfort.

the late fire.

to himself the ascription of wrong headed-See advertisement of Mr. Ahranback's by showing that he realized that the "shoe fit." And be further demonstrates the fitness by again coming to the charge against Autumn-like weather and cool nights. A us as an alleged stumbling-block in the way delightful change from the long summer. of Sister McPherson, of the Kyle Star. Judge Wood's new building is receiving Like another Don Quixote, our gallant an awning, which will add to its appearance young contemporary feels inspired to take the field as the self-appointed champion of distressed "females," (to use his most un-The insurance companies have met chivalrous expression) who exist only in his promptly and liberally their losses here by disordered fancy. We doubt very much whether Sister McPherson is in the least DISTRICT COURT:-Only a few civil cases thankful to him for his superserviceable zeal of no special interest have thus far been in her behalf, and especially for his implied reached. The criminal docket will not prubalefthanded compliment that she is not competent to take her own part or sustain the editorial positions taken in her paper; which As money becomes more plentiful we are is a great deal worse than anything we have being cheered from time to time by some ever said, intimated or thought of her, By smiling old subscriber thrusting his "back the way we wonder where the Lockhart edilues" at us. We hope ere long thus to get tor got the idea, which he has more than once expressed through his paper, that women, although in public positions, should be ex-See the announcement of W. E. Moore, empt from criticism? Every intelligent perof Kyle, as a candidate for hide and animal on knows there are numerous ladiesaspector. We learn he has for some time Southern ladies, too-engaged as teachers, been attending to the duties of the office as as editors and writers for the press, as phyas deputy under Mr. Peayy, the present insicians, as public speakers, and in various other public vocations, who are abundantly While it is stated that there has been a able to "hold their own" in competition alling off of some \$63,000 on the last years with men, and who would resent with scorn county assessment, City Assessor Hopkins the idea of being accorded any indulgence informs os that there has been an increase in the conflicts of mind with mind, because of \$27,000 on the city assessment. This is of their sex. How anyone could grow up to man's estate, and even pose as the editor of should obviously each have a different name. a good showing for the city under the cirnewspaper, and show himself so great an ignoramus as not to know these facts is to To the Street Commissioner; Did you na inexplicable. ever notice that that part of San Antonio

But aside from the above facts, we beg to assure the Lockhart editorial disciple of only needs a coating of gravel to be the the Knight of the Windmills that he is best in town, and invaluable during our "barking up the wrong tree" and wasting muddy periods? "A word to the wise is his chivalry in the cause of Mrs. McPherson. She is not the lone, lorn "female" which he, the editor of the Floresville stitute opened under unusally favorable au-Chronicle and others have assumed her to spices. The first day showed an attendance be. On the contrary she is exceptionally well equipped for the carrying on of a country newspaper. Her eldest son, Lee Rountree, is nearing his majority if not actually of age, is a vigorous, active young man physically and mentally. He is not only her business manager, but the working foreman of the office, a successful reporter for the paper, the acturl publisher and unquestionably a frequent news and editorial writer for its columns. Her second son, Emmett Bountree, is a well-grown youth, capable of doing a man's work in a printing office. We have nothing but praise for these young men; their mother has great reason The cotton market has been brisk since to be proud of them. With the assistance of a yet younger member of the family they do all the mechanical work of the office Giesen alone bought nearly a hundred besides the other work we have stated, so daily this week, and yesterday it was that Sister McPherson escapes one of the greatest usual troubles of newspaper pubthought that the amount would reach 100 lishers, frequent changes of printers, and bales. The price has ranged from 81 to 9 the difficulty of finding such as will take an interest in the business. She and her sons carry it on on the co-operation plan, which gives her a great advantage over most of her newspaper contemporaries. If the sleepy headed Lockhart editor would repress the tober; also for a complimentary ticket. An gushing sympathies which he is wasting on attractive premium list is offered, and no the mother, and emulate somewhat of the doubt the occasion will be one of much in-"get up and get" of her sons as regards the conduct of his own paper, he would certainly do himself infinitely more credit, besides saving himself from his present posi-

tion of a public laughing stock. Just a few words more to demonstrate that the Lockhart editor's animus is hatred of the editor of the FREE PRESS, rather than sympathy for the editress of the Kyle Star. While our o casional criticis as of the Star, as he is compelled to concede, have been impersonal and legitimate, the Times of this place, and the San Antonio Express, as is well known, have several times made grossly offensive, personal allusions to Mrs, McPherson. Where was her self-appointed champion of Lockhart then? Did he come to the front in stern rebuke of these flagrant acts of discourtesy towards a lady? Not a bit of it-he remained mute as an oyster. Hence it is clear that spite toward us is his actuating motive, while he well knows that he had no ground of personal of-

fence or complaint against us. We need add no more-an intelligent public cannot fail to properly "size up" our Lockhart would be critic.

The Saving Grace of Waterworks.

The following letter from Seguin shows how the waterworks there sayed the most valuable block in the city from destruction by fire, and but for the waterworks here during the recent fire, the lesses would no doubt have reached \$50,000:

SEGUIN, Aug. 31, 1888. C. M. Holmes, esq., San Marcos, Tex. My Dear Sir and Friend: -A fire broke

out yesterday evening in the law office of W. R. Neal, over Tips & Terrell's hardware store. The entire block would have burned down had it not been for the water works, In less than one minute after the alarm was given a stream of water at the Northwest corner of the court house square was thrown upon the building. In a very short time another was throwing water from the one tu front of Mr. Burges' house. A third was soon throwing water on the rear of the building from the hydraut in front of the truck house. Of course the fire was soon

cos at 5 p. m. on said day, and return after under control. I wish you could have been here to have from Austin, while the wagon freight has heretofore been 50 cents per bale higher to your good lady, I am Your Friend,

J. Zonn, Jr. Good Printing.

The Face Pages office has been turning out considerable printing of late, all of done at home and save trouble and money. Chairman Non-Partisan Rep. Dist. Com.

Free Schools of Hays County

We find in the other county papers the The editor of the Lockhart Register takes following table, which we copy as a matter ness which we made in general terms, there. of general interest. It will be noticed that our city public schools are not included in the table, they being under the exclusive jurisdiction of the city. To complete the statistics therefore we will state that the scholastic population of our city is 470, being vastly larger than any set down in the table. Of this, 335 are white and 135 colored. The amount appropriated for both is \$1,880. Outside the city, the county yet labors un-

der the incubus of the old community system, now atterly condemned and repudiated by all intelligent educators. Under an improved system the schools would be fewer in number but more efficient. Some of the schools in the table are colored, but are not designated as such. It seems to us an explanation is needed

s to communities Nos. 17 and 25 in the table, the first being styled "San Marcos colored," the other simply "Sin Marcos." The fact is, as we are informed, that both are outside of San Marcos, the one representing a colored school community distinct from the city colored school, the other a community of whites who continue to send to Coronal Institute. The table, going out without explanation to places where the facts are unknown, would naturally give the idea that these were the only public schools belonging to San Marcos, and thus greatly damage the reputation of the city abroad. The two communities designated, having no connection with San Marcos.

Scholastic Population and Apportionment of Available School Fund for Hoys County, for the Year ending July 1, 1889, together with Number and Name of School, and Number of Children:

	School Number.	NAME OF SCHOOL.	No, of Children,	Amount Accredit'd
į	1	Elm Grove	100000	\$198
ì	2	Kone	52 32	23
	3	Mount Sharp Mexican	25	111
U	5	Rock Springs	10000	76
ė	6	Antioch	50	22
	7	Blanco	32	144
	8	Bading	17	76
	9	Fairview	40	180
	10	Bripping Springs, Science Hall	86	369
) (1)	11	Wimberley	52	261
3	13	Purgatory Springs	19	85
	14	Stringtown	36	163
e	15	Dupre	49	220
	16	Live Oak	22	90
	17	San Marcos (colored)	50	228
,	18	Mount Gaynor Oyster Creek	38	171 241
	19	Wan Side	54 29	130
	21	Way-Side High Prairie	55	247
	22	Independence	26	117
Fi.	23	Valley Ford	21	94
	24	Liberty Hill	44	198
1	25	San Marcos	85	389
í	26	McGchee	20	90
ŕ	27	Buda	39	170
	28	Rock Ridge	20	76
	86	Pursley	34	153
	31	Salem	42	189
	32	Sowell Valley	18	81
V.	33	Pleasaut Hill	60	270
	34	Burleson	32	144
	35	River Side	26	680
	36	Kyle	152 23	103
	38	Bluff Spring Prairie Hill	79	357
	39	Beal Spring	29	130
í	40	Plum Creek	33	148
ß	41	Harring	14	68
	42	Long View	40	180
	43	Jacob's Well	24	108
	44	Long Branch	16 20	72
	45	Cedar Top	19	85
	47	Spanish	200.00	158
	**	Out of county	30	135
		Transferred to city of San Marcos	11	49
		Totals	1910	\$8595

ED. R. KONE, County Judge. Lawhon & Bass.

Druggists. New goods every day this week at Come early and inspect our shoe stock. Johnson & Johnson.

McAllister is still keeping up in the groc

ery trade and selling as low as the lowest for Call and see the handsome display of dress flannels. Bottom prices at

I expect to be in San Marcos about October 1st, and set up a portable gallery. First

class work guaranteed J. E. H. CHAPMAN. We have about fifty pieces of best spring and fall (not winter) prints on hand that we sold at 7 and 84 cents per yard that we will

DAILEY & BRO. close out at 5 cts. For fine dress goods in Henrietta clothes Tricots and Alma. Ladies flannels and trimmings to match in Marle silk and satin, and silk and worsted gimp trimmings, and

DENNY BROS. & ANDREWS.

P. Seuberth, the tailor, is in receipt of his fall and winter goods. Nice they are, and as good as beautiful, and Peter will furnish the goods and make them up for you as cheap as you can buy them out of the stores; and of course they will be better made and you will have a better fit. Call on him before purchasing.

Non-Partisan County Convention. As chairman of the Non-Partison execuheard the public expressions toward the wa- the several precinct committees to convene about all. And now as he has insinuated ter works. I think it would have done you the Non-Partisans September 8th, at some against me so hard about being crazy, and good. Everybody spoke in the higest praise, place in their respective precincts, for the not telling the truth, I will just say, he is and it is a fact acknowledged by all that purpose of sending delegates to a county badly off the mark. I would like to know more money was saved to the city yesterday convention called to meet at the city of what sort of a spirit it was that caused the than the entire amount that wil be paid to Kyle on the 15th day of September, at 2 Parson to say that Uncle Ben told a lie the water works for 20 years. There will o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating about the way he was treated at the poor be no trouble hereafter from the city to county officers, and to send delegates to the farm, if it was on his death-bed? And furmeet its payments in cash. I feel good my. congressional and representative district ther, when I told Mr. Wallace I had tried self over the matter. With kindest regards conventions. Each precinct will be allowed to get Uncle Ben away from the poor farm last general election.

E. A. Henlaurt, Chairman Ex. Com. Hays County.

Non-Partisan Convention. The Non-Partisan representative convenwhich must recommend the office wherever tion for the 91st district, composed of the know he had any such influence, it goes. We have much the largest and counties of Caldwell, Guadalupe and Hays, the purpose of nominating two representa-Y. E. WORLEY,

PERSONAL.

"Let us a' gae' to the wedding." Gen. Shelley is in attendance at court this

Mr. Jackson, of Llano, was in the city on

Mr. Goward has returned to Beaumont, his

H. C. Hubbs, esq., of Wimberly made us call on yesterday.

Mr. Cliett now occupies the Capt. Martin H. C. Durar, esq., of Dripping Springs,

Mr Cozby, one of the victims of the fire, again holding forth in Dr. Combs' gallery. Our worthy young friend Claude Ivey, is derking in the store of Johnson & Johnson. Prof. Melish, of Lockhart, and Miss Bird Rylander, a young lady well and favorably

lown here, were recently married. Mr. and Mrs. Rosamond have removed to Mrs. Briggs', and will take charge of her remises and children during her absence, Clerk Burleson, ex-officio banker at Lockhart, is in attendance at the present term of the district court, which will be his

Uncle John Richards returned from Colorado on Tuesday, and is full of the works of nature and art he saw in that wouderful

Our former townsman, Squire Garrison, was down from his rauch in the mountains the first of the week and made the FREE

The Mustang grape crop this year is superb. Philosopher Vogelsang informs us he has gone quite extensively into wine

And now we hear of a nine pound girl just arrived at Lu J. Dailey's. He proposes to check-mate the sudden influx of boys and stands by the fair sex.

Mossrs. Beall of the drag store and Wills of Christian & Wills, are both jubilant over the advent of very young boy-boarders at

City assessor and collector Hopkins in-forms us that he has reduced the amount uncollected for last year to \$4.40 out of Madame Gilbert, the accomplished mu

sical artist, who since Chautauqua has been teaching a class in vocal music here, left for her home in Austin Monday, The sublime repose of the countenance of Mr. Neighbors this week is something delightful. He looks as if courts and court-

ing would trouble him no more forever. Mrs. Emma F. Briggs will leave for the North early next week for the purpose of pushing the sale and perhaps engaging in the manufacture of her new patent sewing machine motor.

James Killiau, jr., recently made a successful trip down to the coast country near Corpus Christi, after a horse which had been stolen from his father place some considerable time since. He was successful in finding him, and rode him home rejoicing.

A. W. Bryan the other day permitted us 8 00 to read an interesting letter from his son, 2 50 who is domiciled in Switzerland and doing 0 00 a lucrative business as a dentist. He had improved his summer vacation by visiting various points in Germany, and was favored 50 to be present at an opera by the great mu-00 sical genius Wagner, at the city where he 00 resides—Nuremburgh, if we recollect rightly, The letter was written from Munich.

More of Parson Wallace and the Poor House.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:-In trying to defend the memory of B. F. Vallandigham, deceased, against some malicious represent. ations, I used as easy language as I well 00 | could in order to set forth his grievances, and to save the feelings of Parson Wallace is much as I well could. But the Parson as much as I well could. But the Parson seems to get possessed of some kind of a spirit (I cannot name it, as I am not so familiar with the spirits as he is), although he appears to be at a loss to discriminate between insane and a very bad spirit, which which he says I possess. May be I am partially insane and wish to put the poor nouse in order before I get there. But say, I hear there are several indigent poor in this county not at the poor house. Must be something wrong. There is I believe at present, and has been since the suicide of Uncle Ben but one inmate of the poor house, who is well known to be violently insane, while there is only a thin board partition between her room and the room or rooms intended for other occupants, so that, ick or well, they cannot rest because of the outeries and other noises made by this lunatic. While these are the facts, the poor farm authorities have a standing order that the helpless poor of the county shall not be cared for at any other place than in this poor house. I ask what has become of the other poor of the county needing its aid, and for whose support our people are taxed? I call upon Parson Wallace, if he can so long forget his official importance, to "gird up his loins" and unravel this mystery for the benefit of the county. I believe I will

not go quite crazy yet. And now, Parson, let me tell you the proof I had reference to in my article reerred to, another party who had threatened me to make; and as you are so particular about it, I just say I have more proof and widence in the way of witnesses that Uncle Ben made a statement to, and not directly to me, which I was not under any obligation to tell to the powers that be, as I was asked to state what was told direct to me: and if the Parson is in a hurry to know what was said to this party before I get ready to publish it, he can call on them; I will give him their names. And it is likely I used some of that statement in my article I did not use in court. Can't recollect what it was now, but I do know when the question tive committee, I request the chairmen of was asked by the court, was that all, I says one vote for every eighty votes cast at the to save him from killing himself, he says, he would kill himself in ten minutes?" I say, what sort of spirit was that?

dodge, and say it was not so, as I did not good bearing orchard of

The buby is ruler of the nonsenous, and it goes. We have much the largest and organ of the baby's kingdom. It is a charming little monthly of eight pages filled with the largest and the best job printer in the largest and organ of the baby's kingdom. It is a charming little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages filled with uniform prompting little monthly of eight pages. We have much the largest and counties of Caldwell, Gnadalupe and Hays.

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Warneyer Demon for sale at this office.

Dripping Springs...

Our D. S. correspondent was in town this week, and instead of a letter gave us a brief interview. Provided we read our notes aright (of which we have some doubt) this is the substance of what he said.

Will O'Pry and Mrs. Davis, from east Taxas who have been sick of fever are worse Quite a number of cattle have been sold lately. Offers are better and made more freely. A Mr. Blitch is buyer of cattle on Barton and Flat Creeks. M. H. Howard, living on Barton, has been quite sick for some two weeks. John Spaw is happy; its a boy.

Pleasant Ridge.

Mn. Eprron: - You may enter this in your

Bible and make a record of his family for the first time, but not the last, I trust. Miss Denton and Miss Vest leave for Coronal Institute to-morrow to complete their education. August 13.

To citizens of Texas during the past week and reported for this paper by C. A. Snow & Co., patent lawyers, opposite U. S. pat nt office, Washington, D. C.

David England, Cedar Hill, gate. Henry Rembert, Willis, fly fan or brush. A. Sampson, Victoria, horse power. Jas. D. Schofield, assignor to J. P. Reed, togers, combined corn and cotton planter, J. L. Van Hook, Round Rock, well buck

The season for the sale of wagons is fast approaching and I remind my friends and customers that I have a full supply of the Newton and Jackson wagons on hand which I am authorized to sell at very close prices and on liberal terms. W≝. Giesen. and on liberal terms.

the nominees of the state convention, when it comes to Hurt for Judge of the court of appeals, it puts in a long black line. That is the way we will do it when we go to vote.-Whitney (Hill Co.,) Messenger.

new shades-pink, mauve, blue, green, and dove.



Austin, Texas, Jan. 29, 1887.

de A K Hawkon Dear Sir :- I am 62 years old. I bought a pair of your Crystalized Lenses about a year ago, when I could with difficulty, read year ago, when I could with timesty, so very large print. After using your glasses three or four months I noticed that my sight improved, and I now read the finest print with the naked eye.

James H. Bell. GLOVER NATIONAL BANK ALL EYES PITTED AND THE PIT GUARANTEED

S. F. McALLISTER, San Marcos.

Store E. AHRANBACK,

Would announce that he has just opened in his new two-story building,

Southwest cor. Public Square,

A large and well selected stock of

-LADIES' DRESS GOODS-

Fancy Goods, Clothing a Gents' Furnishing Goods STREET CARS AND STAGES PASS THE DOOR. Boots and Shoes,

And in short all the articles kept in a simi-

iar establishment, which he offers at prices to suit the times. He respectfully solicits a liberal share of

public patronage. SAN MARCOS

BOOKSTORE & NEWS STAND.

Books and latest Newspapers and Periodic a specialty. A full line of Stationery and Notions.

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